

The Daily Courant.

Saturday, March 20. 1703.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated March 15.

Milan, February 21.

THe Prince de Vaudemont Governor General of this Dutchy, holds frequent Councils in this City on the present Juncture of Affairs; and particularly has order'd an Embargo to be laid on all the Boats that are at Milan, to the end they may be made Use of to convey Cannon and Ammunition of all Sorts to the Army of the two United Crowns of France and Spain. According to the several Advices which we have had from that Army, the Duke de Vendome continues to make all the necessary Dispositions for Besieging Bersello and Ostiglia as soon as the Weather will permit. 'Tis advis'd likewise, that the Imperial Garrison of Bersello has made two vigorous Salleys on the French since that Place was block'd up. The French Cavalry, particularly the Gens d'Arms and Carabiniers that are to return to France, have not yet begun their March out of Italy. Monsieur Guierge pass'd lately thro' this City on his way to Casal; whither he is sent to the Duke of Mantua in Quality of Envoy Extraordinary of France: 'Tis said likewise that he has Orders to make some secret Overtures to other Princes of Italy.

Venice, March 2. The Imperialists have strongly fortified Fiume and all the other Ports of which they are possess'd in the Adriatick Sea. They have likewise posted some Troops of the Militia, and planted Cannon along the Coasts, to hinder the French from making a Descent upon them. An English Ingenier who has been to view those Ports belonging to the Imperialists; has found that the safest and most commodious Harbour for a Squadron of Ships of War is Buckari. According to the Advices which came by the last Letters from the Frontiers of the Ecclesiastical State, the Pope has given the French leave to buy up in the Bolognese 4000 Sacks of Corn, and 600 Loads of Hay for the Subsistence of their Army; and that the Count d'Albergotti has been in Bologna in Person, where he was well receiv'd by the Cardinal Legate.

Venice, March 3. They write from Lombardy, That Count Guido Staremberg, who commands the Imperial Army in the Absence of Prince Eugene of Savoy, keeps a certain Number of Men constantly employ'd in perfecting the Lines and the New Works that are cast up to Strengthen the Fortifications of all the Posts of which he is possess'd, with intent to defend them vigorously against the French. A Party of the Garrison of Bersello lately made two bold Excursions, in the first they pillag'd Sorbole and other Places, and return'd into Bersello with a great Booty and several Head of Cattel: In the other they ruin'd the Sluyce made by the French to hinder the Water from running into that Fortrefs.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated March 12.

Amsterdam, March 12. By a Letter written lately from the Sevens, we are told That the Camifards being elevated with the Advantage lately obtain'd by a Party of theirs commanded by Monsr. de Rochegu over a Detachment that was

posted in Ambuscade by Monsr. de Roure; ventur'd to offer Battle to Monsr. Julien, who having a Force Superior to what the Camifards had, slew 200 of them, among which was one of their Chief Leaders, who was mounted on the Horse, that carried Captain Poul an Officer in the King's Troops whom they sometime since kill'd; Monsr Julien has since pillag'd the Villages of St. Ypolite de Caston, Lieulter, St. Jean Seragues, and Genouillac. The Camifards being inform'd that 50 Men under 4 Officers were quarter'd in Ledignau, surpriz'd and cut off 45 of them with the 4 Officers. The Marshal de Montrevel is march'd up into the Sevens, and has offer'd the King's Pardon to all the Camifards, their Ring-leaders excepted. There are in Anduze 2000 Men of the King's Forces, viz. The Regiment of Gua, 4 Companies of Marines, 4 of Fuseliers, 4 of Dragoons, and 4 of Miquelets. 'Tis reported for certain, That the Camifards have taken a Castle near Alhenas in Vivarois.

From the Paris Gazette, dated March 17.

They write from St. Malo of the 6th of this Month, that the St. Isidore has brought into that Port an English Ship coming from Virginia, having on Board 213 Hogsheads of Tobacco. And from Dunkirk of the 9th, 'tis advis'd that a Dutch Dogger valued at 15000 Livres was taken and sent in thither, and an English Bark with Iron in Ballast of like Value.

Kinsale, March 9. Yesterday in the Evening arriv'd here the Assistance of Liverpool, Henry Bevil Master, bound for that place, laden with Salt, Oranges, Lemmons, &c. for Lisbon.

Falmouth, March 15. Yesterday the Katharine and Anna a Flushing Privateer, brought in here the Amazona of Amsterdam which was bound for Curassaw laden with Provisions, and was taken by a St. Malo's Privateer, and after an obstinate Fight was retaken by the abovesaid Privateer.

Plymouth, March 16. Yesterday in the Evening came in the Tobias of Holstein and the Henrick of Stockholme bound for Bourdeaux. And this day was sent in here by a Dutch Privateer the St. Michael of Rochford, burthen 200 Tons, laden with Wine and Brandy. At the same time came in the Ann and Katharine of Stockholme, and the Mary of Gottenbourg, bound for St. Martins in France.

Weymouth, March 17. Yesterday came in here Her Majesty's Ship the Hasting from the Irish Seas, who has orders to Convoy all the Merchant Ships here to the Westward.

Yarmouth, March 17. Yesterday Morning sail'd to the Northward the Merlin Frigate with the Merchant Ships bound for Lynn: And this Evening came in Her Majesty's Ships the Deptford and Nightingale, with 5 Ships for Scotland, 3 for Hull, and several Trading Vessels of London. Here remains a Fleet of light Colliers who expect to sail to morrow Morning under Convoy of the Portland and Winchelsea to the Westward. The Rumney and Dartmouth Men of War are likewise in these Roads, who are to be Convoy to those Ships that are bound for Hull, Holland and Hambourg.

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Bristol, March 17. Two days ago came in Her Majesty's Ship the *Shoram* with the *Solomon* of London from *Carolina*, the *Waken Lyon* from *Ireland*, laden with *Tallow*, &c. and other Ships from *Virginia*.

Deale, March 18. There are now in the *Downes* Her Majesty's Ships the *Burlington*, *Oxford*, *Scarborough*, *Newcastle*, *Dunwich*, *Fly Brigantine*, *Guernley*, *Coventry*, *Chatham*, *Tartar*, *Severn*, *Woolwich* and *Charles Galley*, and about 65 outward bound Merchant Ships.

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